

# What's Happening Wednesday

## Kansas Immunization Program



**VFC Nurse on Call** - Nurse on call is Lorraine Baughman at [lbaughman@kdheks.gov](mailto:lbaughman@kdheks.gov)  
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March 30th, 2016

### Chief Chat –

We want to alert all of our Kansas VFC providers, especially those along or near the Missouri border, that Missouri has a new vaccine requirement for students entering the 8<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> grades starting with this upcoming school year. Effective with the 2016 – 2017 school year, meningococcal vaccinations are required for all students entering the 8<sup>th</sup> (one dose) and 12<sup>th</sup> (2<sup>nd</sup> dose) grades. While this is not a Kansas school requirement, it is expected that some providers along the Missouri border may be impacted by the demand for vaccination as the deadline for compliance approaches. It is estimated that this may impact over 75,000 students in Missouri who are currently not vaccinated or under vaccinated according to the requirement.

It is expected that some Missouri providers may not be able to keep up with the demand in summer and parents may decide they will cross over into Kansas where the lines may be shorter and the appointments easier to schedule. Kansas providers should be mindful of this potential and plan accordingly. A reminder to all WebIZ users that these one off type of vaccinations can create havoc with your population counts if you accept the patients into WebIZ as your clients. If the patient is seeing you only for this single vaccine, please remember to check the box for not accepting the patient into your practice permanently. Taking this action will prevent you from having to MOGE at a later date.

April 16 – 23, 2016 is designated as National Infant Immunization Week and we encourage all providers to be a part of supporting this week for increasing awareness of the importance of vaccinating our children. One way to do that is to join the CDC Thunderclap on social media on April 18<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM CDT. It is easy to do and it only takes a moment to register by clicking [here](#). If you are not familiar with what this is, a Thunderclap is a tool that lets a message be heard when you and your friends say it together. Think of it as an "online flash mob." Join a Thunderclap, and you and others will share the same message at the same time, spreading an idea through Facebook, Twitter, and Tumblr that cannot be ignored. It is easy and safe to do and best of all, it is a free way to get the message out about the importance of immunizations.

Next week is the American Immunization Registry Association national meeting in Seattle. Britany, Patti and Phil will be attending the meeting April 4<sup>th</sup> through the 7<sup>th</sup>. Please be aware that we will be monitoring email as often as possible but there may be delays in response time. Also remember that Seattle is on Pacific daylight time and is two hours behind Kansas.

**Phil Griffin - Deputy Director, Bureau of Disease Control and Prevention**

### SAVE THE DATE

June 7-9, 2016

**Building an Immunity Community**  
Kansas Immunization Conference 2016

Salina Bicentennial Center, 800 The Midway, Salina, Kansas

FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL (620) 235-4040  
[www.facebook.com/KDHEnews](http://www.facebook.com/KDHEnews)  
@KDHE COMMUNITY #Immunize



### DID YOU KNOW

Did you know you can check on your vaccine order in KSWebIZ? Search for the order, if it has shipped there will be a blue eye which you can click on for all details of the order as well as get a tracking number! The eye appears only after the order has been approved and shipped.

# FluMist Quadrivalent Webinar Invitation-



**FluMist Quadrivalent**  
Influenza Vaccine Live, Intranasal

**WEBINAR INVITATION**

AstraZeneca invites you to participate in a **FluMist Quadrivalent** webinar hosted by the company's **Commercial, Operations and Medical Teams**.

Agenda topics to include:

- Scientific Overview
- 2016/17 Information
- Manufacturing & Development
- Live Q&A

**Tuesday, April 5th, 2016**

**Time: 5pm Central, 4pm Mountain**

**Registration Required-Click here to Register: [www.idmeetings.com/brandforum](http://www.idmeetings.com/brandforum)**

Once Registered, you will receive webinar connectivity instructions

**NOTE:** *If you are unable to attend, an **On-Demand recording link** will be shared in What's Happening Wednesday as soon as it is posted.*

For questions regarding this meeting, please contact 212-704-8202 or [Brand.Forum@Edelman.com](mailto:Brand.Forum@Edelman.com)



## VFC Question of the Week-

**Q:** A Kindergarten student has a dose of Tdap documented as the 4th dose of the DTaP series. Does this student need another DTaP?

**A:** \* Tdap given to a child younger than age 7 years as either dose 1, 2, or 3, is NOT valid. Repeat with DTaP as soon as feasible.

\* Tdap given to a child younger than age 7 years as either dose 4 or 5 can be counted as valid for DTaP dose 4 or 5.

\* DTaP given to patients age 7 or older can be counted as valid for the one-time Tdap dose.

Reference: [http://www.immunize.org/askexperts/experts\\_per.asp](http://www.immunize.org/askexperts/experts_per.asp)

## Influenza Surveillance-

Influenza-like illness continues to decrease in Kansas as reported by the Influenza-like Illness Network (ILINet) sites. Influenza-like illness is defined as a fever ( $\geq 100^{\circ}\text{F}$ ) and the presence of a cough and/or sore throat. ILINet sites also submit up to two specimens for testing at the Kansas Health and Environmental Laboratories (KHEL). During the week ending March 29th, ILINet sites reported 2.0% of visits were due to influenza-like illness. To date, KHEL has confirmed 93 positive influenza specimens including 70 A/H1, 8 A/H3, 13 B, and 2 influenza A specimens that were not subtyped during the 2015-2016 season. Stay updated on influenza activity in Kansas at [www.kdheks.gov/flu/surveillance.htm](http://www.kdheks.gov/flu/surveillance.htm).

**Amy Worthington-Medical Investigator**

## Influenza Vaccine Available—

Updates to the available doses will be posted weekly in the What's Happening Wednesday newsletter. If you have questions regarding FluMist delays, how flu orders are filled, and availability, please refer to the 2015-2016 Seasonal Flu communication or contact Jackie Strecker at 877-296-0464 or [vaccine@kdheks.gov](mailto:vaccine@kdheks.gov).

We currently have stock in the following presentations:



**2015-2016 PEDIATRIC SEASONAL FLU CHART - UPDATED 3/29/16**

Manufacturer	Brand	NDC	Age	Presentation	VFC Available	CHIP Available
GSK	Fluarix Quad (IIV4)	58160-0903-52	36mos+	10 1 dose syringes	0	0
Novartis	Fluvirin (IIV3)	66521-0118-02	4 years +	10 1 dose syringes	120	0
Sanofi	Fluzone Quad (IIV4)	49281-0415-10	36mos+	10 1 dose vials	0	0
Sanofi	Fluzone Quad (IIV4)	49281-0415-50	36mos+	10 1 dose syringes	0	0
Sanofi	Fluzone Quad (IIV4)	49281-0515-25	6-35mos	10 1 dose syringes	570	0
Sanofi	Fluzone Quad (IIV4)	49281-0623-15	6mos+	10 dose vial	0	0
MedImmune	FluMist Quad (LAIV4)	66019-0302-10	2-49 years	10 1 dose sprayers	12510	0

## Vaccine Preventable Disease Outbreaks–

**Mumps – RILEY COUNTY:** KDHE and Riley County Health Department are investigating an outbreak of mumps. Three cases have been identified and linked to the outbreak (one resides in Johnson County). These three cases have close contact with one another and no documented transmission has been reported in the community. If this holds true, the outbreak will be declared over as of April 1, 2016.

For updated case counts of infectious diseases reportable to Infectious Disease Epidemiology and Response, please visit the KDHE webpage at [http://www.kdheks.gov/epi/case\\_reports\\_by\\_county.htm](http://www.kdheks.gov/epi/case_reports_by_county.htm). Please note these numbers are preliminary and are subject to change based on case review. For any questions about reporting or for technical assistance, please call the KDHE epidemiology hotline at 877-427-7317.

**Chelsea Raybern, MPH, Advanced Epidemiologist Bureau of Epidemiology and Public Health Informatics**



## IAC's Newsletter "Vaccinate Adults" March Issue Posted-

This issue features a review of CDC pneumococcal recommendations for adults starting at age 65, as well as a range of other adult vaccination topics. You'll find new and updated vaccination resources for patients and staff, including standing orders templates, screening checklists, administration guides, and other ready-to-copy educational materials.

Click here to download the March 2016 Issue: <http://www.immunize.org/va/va49.pdf>



## 2016 KIP Conference Hotel Information Reminder– June 7-9, 2016

Registration will open for the conference in a couple of weeks but we can share with you the hotel information now. The hotel contracts have been secured and you may make your reservations at any time. We have two host hotels both within a short drive of the convention center. Remember that all events will take place at the Bicentennial Center located at 800 The Midway, Salina, KS 67401. Click [here](#) for location information.

Country Inn and Suites	Holiday Inn
2760 South 9 <sup>th</sup>	3145 South 9 <sup>th</sup>
Salina, KS	Salina, KS
785-827-1271	785-404-6767
<b>Mention "Immunization Conference" for the discounted rate of \$85.00</b>	<b>Mention "Immunization Conference" for the discounted rate of \$104.00</b>
Click <a href="#">here</a> for information only, you must call the hotel at the number listed above to get the special rate	Click <a href="#">here</a> for information only, you must call the hotel at the number listed above to get the special rate

# KSWEBIZ Trainings



## Aggregate Inventory Training—**Mondays at 1 p.m., First Friday at 10:30 a.m.**

The Aggregate Inventory Training occurs the first Friday of every month from 10:30 -11:30 a.m. This call will go over the basics of the On Hand, Reconciliation (MIR submission) and Vaccine Ordering windows in KSWebIZ for Aggregate Users. Bring questions and examples of issues that your clinic is having with the end of the month reporting. **Please note:** this call is for KSWebIZ Aggregate Users Only! After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/6598705111102500354>

Register now for the date that works best for you!

## Direct Entry Inventory Training— **Tuesdays at 1 p.m., First Friday at 12 p.m.**

The Direct Entry Inventory Training occurs the first Friday of every month from 12 -1 p.m. This call will go over the basics of the On Hand, Reconciliation (MIR submission) and Vaccine Ordering windows in KSWebIZ. Bring questions and examples of issues that your clinic is having with the end of the month reporting. **Please note:** this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Entry Users Only! After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/4121654947304535298>

Register now for the date that works best for you!

## New User Training— **Thursdays at 2 p.m., Second Friday at 12 p.m.**

The New User Training occurs the second Friday of every month from 12 -1 p.m. This basic training is for new KSWebIZ users, or people who would like a simplified refresher training on how to use KSWebIZ. We will be going over log-in, adding history, administering vaccinations, printing consents and pink cards. If you are a new user, have a new token, or recently had a token transferred to you please take the time to sit in on this training! **Please note:** this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Users Only! After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Register now for the date that works best for you! <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/1572841858584797442>

## School Module Training- **Third Friday at 12 p.m.**

The School Module Training occurs the third Friday of every month from 9 - 10 a.m. This basic training is for new KSWebIZ school module users, or people who would like a simplified refresher training. **Please note:** this call is for KSWebIZ School Module Users Only! After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/8422671756415350273>

Register now for the date that works best for you!

## Reports Training- **Fourth Friday at 12 p.m.**

The Reports Training occurs the fourth Friday of every month from 12 - 1 p.m. This training is for KSWebIZ users who are wanting to learn more about the KSWebIZ Reports. We will be going over the various reporting sections and how to generate reports within these sections. We hope you have time to sit in on this training! **Please note:** this call is for KSWebIZ Direct Users Only! After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Register now for the date that works best for you! <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/568840407867357186>

**NOTE:** There have been additional trainings scheduled during the week for New User Training, Direct Inventory Training and Aggregate Inventory Training. The new times can be found above and when you register and select a specific training time. If these times do not work with your schedule or you have additional training needs please reach out to the IIS trainer [msims@kdheks.gov](mailto:msims@kdheks.gov) or 785-296-0687

## Vaccine Information Statements–

Anthrax	3/10/10	MMRV	5/21/10
Chickenpox	3/13/08	Multi-vaccine	11/05/15
DTaP/DT/DTP	5/17/07	PCV 13	11/05/15
Hepatitis A	10/25/11	PPSV	4/24/15
Hepatitis B	2/02/12	Polio	11/8/11
Hib	4/2/15	Rabies	10/6/09
HPV (Gardasil/Cervarix)	5/17/13 and 5/03/11	Rotavirus	4/15/15
Influenza (LAIV4)	8-07-15	Shingles	10/6/09
Influenza (IIV3 or IIV4)	8-07-15	Smallpox	10/01/09
Japan. enceph.	1/24/14	Td	2/24/15
Meningococcal	10/14/11	Typhoid	5/29/12
MMR	4/20/12	Yellow fever	3/30/11
Tdap	2/24/15	HPV9	4/15/15

## Vaccine Redistribution

Please email any additions or changes to be made on the Vaccine Redistribution lists with subject matter "Redistribution" to [vaccine@kdheks.gov](mailto:vaccine@kdheks.gov) or call toll free at 1-877-296-0464

[http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/vaccine\\_redistribution.htm](http://www.kdheks.gov/immunize/vaccine_redistribution.htm)

**REMINDERS:** Providers may place the excess doses on the KIP Redistribution list if:

- 1) The vaccine has a minimum of 90 days and a maximum of 365 days before the vaccine's expiration date;
- 2) The ordering provider is responsible for any doses which expire on the redistribution list that have not been accepted for transfer to another VFC provider;
- 3) Providers accepting vaccine from the redistribution list are responsible for using the doses once they are transferred. KIP encourages providers to accept only doses they can administer before the expiration date;
- 4) The transferring and receiving provider will document these doses on their monthly MIR/reconciliation reports as transferred vaccines.
- 5) Once vaccine is transferred please contact KIP to let us know so we can adjust the redistribution list by either deleting the line or by reducing the amount of doses.
- 6) All vaccines must be in full boxes
- 7) The KIP nurse consultant who is on call must be contacted prior to transferring vaccine
- 8) Providers are responsible for keeping KIP notified if there is a change in amount of doses available for redistribution.
- 9) When placing an order, you may be contacted if the vaccine you are trying to order is on the redistribution list.
- 10) Varicella and Proquad, will not be posted on the VFC or Private Vaccine Redistribution List. Frozen Varivax vaccines are very intolerant to out of range temperatures. To prevent potential vaccine waste the Kansas immunization Program requests that Varivax containing vaccines not be transferred to other providers. Questions regarding transporting vaccine call 877-296-0464 to request assistance.



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# Pfizer Cordially Invites You to Attend An Informational Program

*Featuring*

**Christian Sandroock, MD**

Associate Professor of Medicine

Division of Infectious Diseases, Division of Pulmonary and Critical Care, UC Davis School of  
Medicine

## ***The Importance of Vaccination Against Serogroup B Meningococcal Disease***

**Thursday, April 7, 2016**

**6:00 PM Central Registration**

Dinner and Presentation to Follow

**Blue Moose Bar & Grill**

3030 Southwest Wanamaker Road

Topeka, KS 66614

(785) 272-6800

Hosted by Heather Peterson

Debbie Ward

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Please RSVP via our Registration Portal at:

[www.pfizersvphcp.com](http://www.pfizersvphcp.com)

or

via phone (800) 292-6204

Please reference Meeting ID# **EZ28623364**

If you plan to attend, kindly make every effort to arrive by the designated start time and to remain through the duration of the program. Please be advised that late arrivals may be prohibited from participating in the event.

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